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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 2662

MICHAEL MESH et al

Examiner: A. Elallam

Serial No. 09/753,400

MAIL STOP AFTER FINAL

Filed: January 3, 2001

For: PACKET PROCESSING METHOD AND ENGINE

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Petition is herein made under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 for an extension of time for two months for response to the Office action of November 1, 2006.

The appropriate fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17 is paid herewith by credit card (Form PTO-2038). Any required extra fees may be charged to the credit card and any fees not accepted by the credit card may be charged to Deposit Account 04-0753.

Respectfully submitted,

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